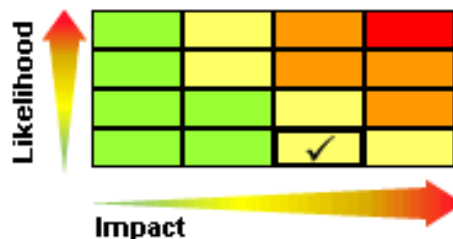
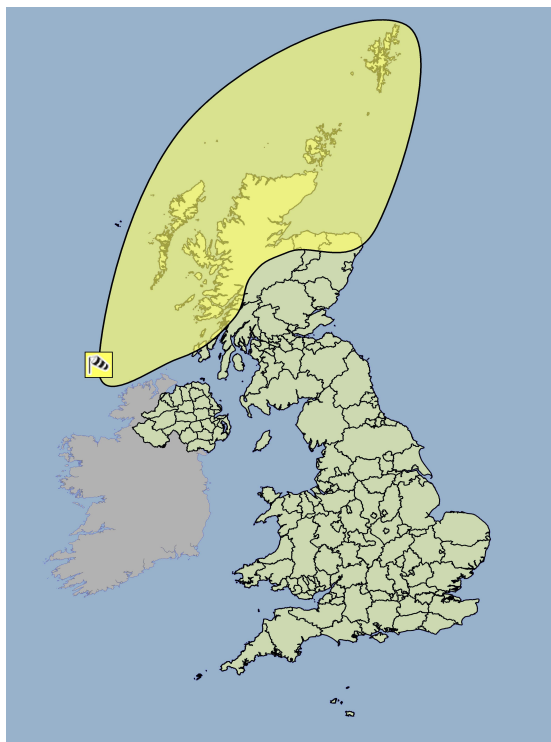




National Severe Weather Warning Service



Chief Forecasters Assessment

A vigorous depression is expected to pass just to the northwest of Scotland on Thursday night bringing a swathe of very strong winds on its eastern and southern flanks. There remains some uncertainty regarding the exact extent and timing of strongest winds and the extent of impacts and this warning will be kept under review.

The Met Office have issued a **Yellow Alert of Wind**

Valid from **18:00 on Thu, 12th Nov 2015** until **14:00 on Fri, 13th Nov 2015**

Southwesterly severe gales are likely to develop across the northwest and north of Scotland later on Thursday and to extend across the Northern Isles into Friday morning. Gusts of 60-70 mph are likely with the possibility of gusts into the 80s of mph in exposed locations. Winds will begin to ease and veer more westerly across the Western Isles and the mainland on Friday morning and across the Northern Isles on Friday afternoon.

The public should be aware of the risk of disruption to transport. In addition, large waves may give rise to local over-topping along some coasts.

For more details please go to:

<http://www.metoffice.gov.uk/public/weather/warnings>

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